

# Tennis Activities

## Kiwanis Recreation Tennis Center Hours

Monday-Thursday	7am-10pm
Friday	7am-7pm
Saturday	8am-6pm
Sunday	9am-4pm

The Kiwanis Park Recreation Center offers 15 lighted tennis courts renovated with a state of the art cushioned hard court playing surface. KRC has been recognized by the USTA as one of the outstanding public tennis facilities in the country for its tennis programs and services.

**Open to the Public: Reservation Procedure-**Tennis court reservations may be made one day in advance by calling 480-350-5201. Court reservations are for guaranteed play, maximum of 1 1/2 hours. Courts are available during all hours of operation.

## Fees Per Court-(Reservations for 1-1/2 hrs.)

Daytime:	Before 5pm	\$4.50
Nighttime:	After 5pm	\$6
Aug 1-Sept 30	Nighttime fees begin at 7pm	
Beginning Oct 1	Nighttime fees begin at 5pm	

## Tennis product and service options:

**Backboard:** A \$2 deposit is required for backboard practice. First 1/2 hour of backboard use is complimentary; each additional 1/2 hour is \$1.

**Tennis racquet rental-**Available at the KRC reception desk for \$2 per 1 1/2 hours.

**Racquet Restringing:** The Kiwanis Park Recreation Center offers the convenience of racquet restringing using superior products from Wilson, Gamma and other top manufacturers.

**Tennis E-newsletter:** A complimentary offering to those who enjoy receiving monthly tennis program updates and tips. Register at [www.tempe.gov/pkrec/krc/tennis](http://www.tempe.gov/pkrec/krc/tennis)

**Private Tennis Lessons:** Contact the KRC Tennis Professional of your choice for private lessons. Fees range from \$26-\$40 per hour. Visit the KRC web site at [www.tempe.gov/pkrec/krc/tennis](http://www.tempe.gov/pkrec/krc/tennis) for instructor background, professional certification and contact information.

## Impromptu Doubles Play Programs

### 1) Challenge Doubles:

Tuesdays & Thursdays	5:30-9:30pm
Saturdays	8am-12pm
Sundays	9am-1pm

Advanced players of 4.0-4.5 ability levels are encouraged to participate in the unsupervised Challenge Court Doubles program. Fee: \$2 per player, per date.

### 2) Drop-in Doubles:

Monday-Friday 10:30am-12pm\*

Supervised program featuring doubles match ups for intermediate + ability levels. Fee: \$2 per player

\*Time change from Summer hours 7:30am-9am to 10:30am-12pm begins October 3rd.

### 3) Mix & Match Drop-in on Friday nights: 6-8pm

Supervised program featuring social round-robin doubles play for intermediate + ability levels. Fee: \$3.50 per player.

### 4) Drop-in Junior Competitive Play Ages 8-16:

Features supervised match play and competitive situations. Participants must have experience in singles and doubles competition and knowledge of scoring. Fee: \$3 per visit.

Fridays Summer Schedule: 6-7:30pm  
Starting September 9th: 4:30-6pm

## Tennis Instruction and Drill Programs

**Tennis Professionals:** Kwong Young, Adult Lesson Head Professional, Suk Ong, JCP Head Professional

**Associate staff:** Josh Olson, Gay Smith, Lancy Carr, Bret Bender, Mario Celarie and Meghan Skalsky. Please view professional competitive background, certification and contact details, go to [www.tempe.gov/pkrec/krc/tennis](http://www.tempe.gov/pkrec/krc/tennis).

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## Tennis Lesson Registration

**Resident:** Begins August 15th and ongoing until classes start or are full

**Non-Resident:** Begins August 22nd and ongoing until classes start or are full

**Registration options:** On-line, mail-in or drop off

**On-line registration link:** [www.tempe.gov/pkrec/krc/](http://www.tempe.gov/pkrec/krc/)

The Kiwanis Recreation Center is proud to announce the receipt of a \$1,000 Tennis in the Park Grant, courtesy of the USTA. Please join us in our commitment to grow and develop our tennis programs! For more information about the Tennis in the Park Grant and related activities, please visit our website [www.tempe.gov/pkrec/krc/tennis/](http://www.tempe.gov/pkrec/krc/tennis/)

## Adult Beginner and Advanced Beginner Level Lessons

**USA Tennis 1-2-3-**Getting started in tennis has never been easier! Adult beginners can play recreational tennis within 8 hours with this quick and easy program. Advanced beginners are provided instruction and coached playtime. Equipment provided upon request, check with teaching pro at first lesson.

**USA Tennis 1-2-3, Level I for Beginners-**Designed to provide the basic skills and knowledge needed to play tennis. Fee: \$24 for four-week class, \$45 for eight-week class.

### Four Week Classes:

TBGA-1D	9/12-10/3	M	7-8pm	KRC
TBGA-2D	9/13-10/4	Tu	9-10am	KRC
TBGA-3D	10/17-11/7	M	7-8pm	KRC
TBGA-4D	10/18-11/8	Tu	9-10am	KRC

### Eight Week Classes:

TBGA-5D	9/13-11/1	Tu	7-8pm	KRC
TBGA-6D	9/14-11/2	W	8-9pm	KRC
TBGA-7D	9/17-11/5	Sa	10-11am	KRC
TBGA-8D	9/17-11/5	Sa	3-4pm	KRC
TBGA-9D	9/18-11/6	Su	1-2pm	KRC

**USA Tennis 1-2-3, Level II for Advanced Beginners-**Designed to provide advanced beginner level players with a comfortable transition from basic skills to recreational play. Level II features stroke development and coached play. Previous instruction or graduation from Level I recommended. Fee: \$45 for eight weeks.

TABA-1D	9/12-10/31	M	8-9pm	KRC
TABA-2D	9/14-11/2	W	9-10am	KRC
TABA-3D	9/14-11/2	W	7-8pm	KRC
TABA-4D	9/15-11/3	Th	8-9pm	KRC
TABA-5D	9/17-11/5	Sa	11am-12pm	KRC
TABA-6D	9/18-11/6	Su	2-3pm	KRC

**USA Tennis Level III-Starter League-**Designed to assist the advanced beginner to intermediate level player in establishing comfort in playing recreational tennis. A tennis professional will arrange singles and doubles matches and assist players with positioning, scoring and strategy. Meets 1 1/2 hours once a week for four weeks. Fee: \$33.

PTAL-1D	9/12-10/3	M	7:30-9pm	KRC
PTAL-2D	9/17-10/8	Sa	12:30-2pm	KRC
PTAL-3D	10/17-11/7	M	7:30-9pm	KRC
PTAL-4D	10/22-11/12	Sa	12:30-2pm	KRC

**Tennis Clinics for Women Only-Fee:** \$45, one hour clinics meeting once per week for eight weeks.

### Level I, Beg.

TWOC-1D	9/15-11/3	Th	7-8pm	KRC
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### Level II, Adv. Beg.

TWOC-2D	9/15-11/3	Th	8-9pm	KRC
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### Level III, Intermediate

TWOC-3D	9/13-11/1	Tu	7-8pm	KRC
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## Adult Intermediate and Advanced Tennis Instruction

**Competitive Basics-**Designed for intermediate level students who want to make a transition from practice to competition and for players who want to re-enter competition. Class features accelerated stroke development and coached playing time. Ability level: Intermediate-2.5 to 3.5. Recommended graduation from Level II. Eight weeks. Fee: \$45.

TCBA-1D	9/12-10/31	M	7-8pm	KRC
TCBA-2D	9/13-11/1	Tu	8-9pm	KRC
TCBA-3D	9/15-11/3	Th	9-10am	KRC
TCBA-4D	9/17-11/5	Sa	9-10am	KRC

**Tennis Aerobics-**This fast paced tennis aerobics is set to music and is guaranteed to get you pumped! All ability levels welcome. Four week sessions. Fee: \$24 for 1 hour, \$33 for 1 1/2 hours.

TTAC-1D	9/12-10/3	M	7:30-9pm	KRC
TTAC-2D	9/12-10/3	M	9-10am	KRC
TTAC-3D	9/15-10/6	Th	6:30-8pm	KRC
TTAC-4D	10/17-11/7	M	7:30-9pm	KRC
TTAC-5D	10/17-11/7	M	9-10am	KRC
TTAC-6D	10/20-11/10	Th	6:30-8pm	KRC

**Net Play Clinic-**Net play clinic features work on drive volleys, half-volleys, overheads, volley lobs, angle volleys and drop volleys. The clinic meets once per week for four weeks. Ability level: 3.0+. Fee: \$33.

TNPC-1D	W	9/14-10/5	8-9:30pm	KRC
TNPC-2D	W	10/19-11/9	8-9:30pm	KRC

**Doubles Drills Clinic-**Develop successful shot selection, court positioning, movement and communication for successful doubles play in this fun and exciting clinic. Register alone or with a partner. Ability level: Intermediate+. Four week sessions. Fee: \$33.

TDSC-1D	9/13-10/4	Tu	8-9:30pm	KRC
TDSC-2D	10/18-11/8	Tu	8-9:30pm	KRC

**Ball Machine Drills-**Commit your strokes to muscle memory by hitting more balls than you ever imagined in a one-hour drills clinic. Clinics meet once per week for four weeks. Ability Level: 3.0+ Fee: \$24 for 1 hour class, \$33 for 1 1/2 hours.

TBMC-1D	9/13-10/4	Tu	8-9pm	KRC
TBMC-2D	9/15-10/6	Th	7-8pm	KRC
TBMC-3D	9/16-10/7	F	9-10:30am	KRC
TBMC-4D	10/18-11/8	Tu	8-9pm	KRC
TBMC-5D	10/20-11/10	Th	7-8pm	KRC
TBMC-6D	10/21-11/18*	F	9-10:30am	KRC

\*Friday class finishing 11/18, skipping 11/11 Veterans Day

**Topspin Clinic-**Learn to hit like a touring professional with topspin, volleys, groundstrokes and serves. Recommended for 3.5+ ability levels. Eight weeks. Fee: \$45.

TTSC-1D	9/12-10/31	M	6:30-7:30pm	KRC
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**Serving Clinic-**Become a serving genius with greater consistency, power, spin and placement. Ability level: 3.0+. Four week sessions. Fee: \$24 per session.

TSVC-1D	9/14-10/5	W	7-8pm	KRC
TSVC-2D	10/19-11/9	W	7-8pm	KRC

**Advanced Strokes and Drills for the Competitive Player-**Intensified training for players capable of stroke dependability and accuracy. Focus is on modern game with work on forehand domination, attacking weak serves and the new-age volley. Ability level: 4.0+. Four week sessions. Fee: \$33.

TSDA-1D	9/14-10/5	W	8-9:30pm	KRC
TSDA-2D	10/19-11/9	W	8-9:30pm	KRC

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**Aggressive Tennis**-Designed for league and tournament players (4.0+) who want a competitive workout. Focus is on achieving greater power and more aggressive play on serves, groundstrokes and volleys. Fee: \$33 per player, per session.

TPTC-1D	9/15-10/6	Th	8-9:30pm	KRC
TPTC-2D	10/20-11/10	Th	8-9:30pm	KRC

**Adult Tennis Camp**-One day, 2½ hour class for intermediate+ players. Emphasis on ball machine work, stroke improvement, strategy in singles and doubles play. Fee: \$25.

TATC-1D	Sa	9/17	4:30-7pm	KRC
TATC-2D	Sa	10/15	3:30-6pm	KRC
TATC-3D	Sa	11/19	3:30-6pm	KRC

## Junior Development Program

**USA Tennis 1-2-3: Junior Development Tennis Program**-The Kiwanis Park Recreation Center offers a progressive program providing game-based instruction. Students learn tennis play while developing a foundation in stroke fundamentals, court coverage and rules. The tennis pro will have racquets on hand to borrow as needed.

**Level I-Drop Shots, Ages 4 & 5**-Eight-week classes meet ¾ hour per week. General motor skill development featuring tennis-specific activities. Participants need racquets, preferably not exceeding 21 inches in length. Parent participation is encouraged. Fee: \$33.

TDSB-1D	9/12-10/31	M	4-4:45pm	KRC
TDSB-2D	9/13-11/1	Tu	4-4:45pm	KRC
TDSB-3D	9/16-11/4	F	4-4:45pm	KRC
TDSB-4D	9/17-11/5	Sa	8:15-9am	KRC

**Racquet Rookies Level I, Beginners, ages 6-8**-or instructor approval. Emphasis on play, sportsmanship and fun. Eight weeks. Fee: \$45.

TRRB-1D	9/12-10/31	M	5-6pm	KRC
TRRB-2D	9/15-11/3	Th	5-6pm	KRC
TRRB-3D	9/17-11/5	Sa	9-10am	KRC
TRRB-4D	9/17-11/5	Sa	2-3pm	KRC

**Racquet Rookies Level II, Advanced Beginner, Ages 6-8**-Emphasis on fun games and drills for stroke improvement and sportsmanship. Must have passed Beginner level. Eight weeks. Fee: \$45.

TRRA-1D	9/12-10/31	M	6-7pm	KRC
TRRA-2D	9/14-11/2	W	5-6pm	KRC
TRRA-3D	9/17-11/5	Sa	1-2pm	KRC

**Spinners Level I, Beginners, Ages 9-12**-Emphasis on fun games and drills for stroke improvement and sportsmanship. Eight weeks. Fee: \$45

TSBG-1D	9/12-10/31	M	6-7pm	KRC
TSBG-2D	9/14-11/2	W	6-7pm	KRC
TSBG-3D	9/17-11/5	Sa	10-11am	KRC
TSBG-4D	9/17-11/5	Sa	3-4pm	KRC

**Spinners Level II, Advanced Beginners, Ages 9-12**-Class focus: games and drills for stroke improvement and team-game situations. Must have passed Beginner level. Eight weeks. Fee: \$45.

TSAB-1D	9/13-11/1	Tu	5-6pm	KRC
TSAB-2D	9/14-11/2	W	6-7pm	KRC
TSAB-3D	9/17-11/5	Sa	4-5pm	KRC

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**USA TENNIS Level I, Aces Beginner, Ages 13-16**- Focus on tennis fundamentals with emphasis on drills, sportsmanship and conditioning. Class meets for eight weeks, 1 hour per week. Fee: \$45.

TABG-1D	9/13-11/1	Tu	6-7pm	KRC
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## KRC Junior Competitive Program

Featuring the award-winning USTA National Junior Tennis League, Junior Team and Rally Ball programs.

**Rally Ball Team Tennis**-For advanced beginner to intermediate level. Practice and play in team units. Promotes team fun, game play and building tennis skills. Program meets for four week sessions. Fee: \$48 per session.

TJRB-1D	Ages 9-12	9/12-10/5	M/W	6-7:30pm	KRC
TJRB-2D	Ages 13-16	9/13-10/6	Tu/Th	6-7:30pm	KRC
TJRB-3D	Ages 9-12	10/17-11/9	M/W	6-7:30pm	KRC
TJRB-4D	Ages 13-16	10/18-11/10	Tu/Th	6-7:30pm	KRC
TJRB-5D	Ages 9-12	11/21-12/14	M/W	6-7:30pm	KRC
TJRB-6D	Ages 13-16	11/22-12/20*	Tu/Th	6-7:30pm	KRC

\*Skip 11/24 due to holiday and finish session on 12/20

**National Junior Tennis League (NJTL) Ages 8-14:** Focus on competitive patterns of play, mental and physical training and stroke progression for intermediate-level players. League features drills for skill development, game situations and modified match play. Participants must be competent in serving, be able to maintain a rally and have knowledge of scoring. Registration based on instructor approval and successful tryout. For more information, visit the Juniors web page at [www.tempe.gov/pkrec/krc/tennis/](http://www.tempe.gov/pkrec/krc/tennis/) or contact Suk Ong at 480-350-5711. Four week session. Fee: \$48.

NJTL-1D	9/12-10/5	M/W	4:30-6pm	KRC
NJTL-2D	10/17-11/9	M/W	4:30-6pm	KRC
NJTL-3D	11/21-12/14	M/W	4:30-6pm	KRC

**Advanced Junior Tennis League (AJTL) Ages 9-14:** AJTL registration is based on competitive results in NJTL ladder play and NJTL instructor guidance. For more information, visit the Juniors web page at [www.tempe.gov/pkrec/krc/tennis/](http://www.tempe.gov/pkrec/krc/tennis/) or contact Suk Ong at 480-350-5711 or [suk\\_ong@tempe.gov](mailto:suk_ong@tempe.gov) for input. Four-week session. Fee: \$54.

AJTL-1D	9/12-10/5	M/W	4:30-6:30pm	KRC
AJTL-2D	10/17-11/9	M/W	4:30-6:30pm	KRC
AJTL-3D	11/21-12/14	M/W	4:30-6:30pm	KRC

**Drop-in Competitive Play for youth and teens, Ages 8-16:** Supervised match play for intermediate to advanced ability-level players. Participants must have singles and doubles match play experience and knowledge of scoring. Fee: \$3 per visit.

Fridays Summer Schedule: 6-7:30pm  
Starting September 9th: 4:30-6pm

\*No play on 11/11 or 11/25 due to holidays

**JV Competitive Training Program (JVCT), Ages 13-18:** Designed for the advanced-beginner to intermediate level competitor who requires skill improvement and modified match play experience as a prerequisite to advancing to tournament play and/or school varsity team competition. Registration based on instructor approval and successful tryout. For more information, visit the Juniors web page at [www.tempe.gov/pkrec/krc/tennis/](http://www.tempe.gov/pkrec/krc/tennis/) or contact Suk Ong at 480-350-5711 or e-mail [suk\\_ong@tempe.gov](mailto:suk_ong@tempe.gov). Four-week session. Fee: \$48 session.

JVCT-1D	9/13-10/6	Tu/Th	6-7:30pm	KRC
JVCT-2D	10/18-11/10	Tu/Th	6-7:30pm	KRC
JVCT-3D	11/22-12/20*	Tu/Th	6-7:30pm	KRC

\*No workout on 11/24 due to holiday

**National Junior Team Tennis (NJTT), Ages 13-18:** Advanced competitive training, modified match play and intensified pattern-of-play drills for tournament and school tennis team level players. Registration based on instructor approval and successful tryout. For more information, visit the Juniors web page at [www.tempe.gov/pkrec/krc/tennis/](http://www.tempe.gov/pkrec/krc/tennis/) or contact Suk Ong at 480-350-5711 or e-mail [suk\\_ong@tempe.gov](mailto:suk_ong@tempe.gov). Four-week session. Fee: \$48.

NJTT-1D	9/13-10/6	Tu/Th	4:30-6pm	KRC
NJTT-2D	10/18-11/10	Tu/Th	4:30-6pm	KRC
NJTT-3D	11/22-12/20*	Tu/Th	4:30-6pm	KRC

\*No workout on 11/24 due to holiday

## Kiwanis Recreation Center Adult Tennis Leagues 480-350-5201

**Seven week Round Robin League**-Weeks of September 19th-October 31st.

**Tennis League Registration Fees**-(All Fees are per person)

	Singles	Doubles
Daytime	\$27	\$21
Nighttime	\$32	\$25

**League Registration options:**

- 1) Drop-off or mail to Kiwanis Recreation Center, 6111 S. All America Way, Tempe, 85283
- 2) On-line registration at <https://www.tempe.gov/pkrec/regform.htm>

**Resident Registration:** August 15th-September 12th

**Regular Registration:** August 22nd-September 12th

**General Registration information:**

Leagues are offered on a first come, first serve basis; however, Tempe residents receive priority selection. Players must register with a partner for doubles leagues. On-line registration is accepted with Visa, MC, AMEX, or Discover, card payment only. A completed registration does not guarantee space availability in the league of choice. Please indicate alternate league choices in the spaces provided. Most leagues have two start times varying from week to week, i.e., 6 & 7:30pm and you will play some matches at each time.

League Schedules will be available for pick up at KRC or viewing at [www.tempe.gov/pkrec/krc/tennis/](http://www.tempe.gov/pkrec/krc/tennis/) starting, the evening of Thursday, September 15th.

**Ranking Clinic (Optional)**-New league participants are strongly encouraged to register for a free rating session. Call 480-350-5711 to register now!

TRCL-1D	M	8/22	7:30-8:30pm	KRC
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*Note: Informal rating applies to City of Tempe League Programs Only!*

**LEAGUE OFFERINGS:**

**Mixed Doubles Leagues**

MIX-1D	3.5-4.4	B/B+	Tu	6&7:30pm
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**Women's Day Leagues**

WOM-1D	3.0-3.9	C/B Singles	Sa	8:30&10am
WOM-2D	3.5-3.9	B Doubles	W	9am

**Women's Evening Leagues**

WOM-3D	4.0+	B+/A Singles	M	6&7:30pm
WOM-4D	4.0-4.4	B+ Singles	M	6&7:30pm
WOM-5D	4.0-4.4	B+ Doubles	Th	6&7:30pm
WOM-6D	3.5-3.9	B Singles	M	6&7:30pm
WOM-7D	3.5-3.9	B Singles	W	6&7:30pm
WOM-8D	3.5-3.9	B Doubles	Th	6&7:30pm
WOM-9D	2.5-3.4	C/C+ Singles	Tu	6&7:30pm
WOM-10D	2.5-3.4	C/C+ Doubles	Th	6&7:30pm

**Men's Day Leagues**

MEN-1D	3.5-4.4	B/B+ Singles	Su	9am
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**Men's Evening Leagues**

MEN-2D	4.5+	A+ Singles	W	6&7:30pm
MEN-3D	4.5	B+ Singles	Tu	6&7:30pm
MEN-4D	4.0-4.4	B+ Singles	W	6&7:30pm
MEN-5D	3.5-4.4	B/B+ Doubles	Tu	6&7:30pm
MEN-6D	3.5-3.9	B Singles	M	6&7:30pm
MEN-7D	3.5-3.9	B Singles	Th	6&7:30pm
MEN-8D	2.5-3.4	C/C+ Singles	M	6&7:30pm
MEN-9D	3.0-3.4	C+ Singles	Th	6&7:30pm

**NOTES**-League dates/times may alter due to other activities/closures at KRC. Most leagues have two start times. If the league time lists start times of 6&7:30pm, patrons will be scheduled to play some matches at 6pm and some at 7:30pm.

Competitors of intermediate and above (2.5+) ability levels are encouraged to participate in Friday evening **Mix & Match Doubles**, 6-8pm. A KRC tennis professional arranges match-ups based on ability levels. Players may pay and warm-up between 5:30-5:55pm. Fee: \$3.50.

During the day, try **Drop-in Doubles**, Monday-Friday, 10:30am-12pm\* for supervised intermediate+ ability levels. Fee \$2. \*Time changes from Summer hours 7:30-9am beginning Oct. 3rd.